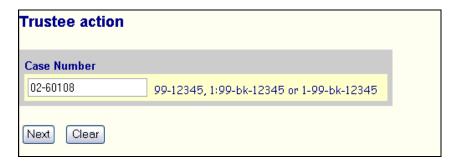
TRUSTEE/U. S. TRUSTEE

The Trustee/U. S. Trustee hypertext link contains various documents which the Trustee or U. S. Trustee, specifically, files with the court. These documents are usually reports, which are the result of §341 meetings of creditors, sales/auctions of property, final reports, etc. This link/menu option is in addition to the other links, which contain documents that the trustee may have occasion to file and not meant to replace all other links/menu options. An addition to the menu is the "*Trustee's 341 Filings*", to aid the trustee in the efficient resolution of his cases. This option is explained in greater detail by clicking on **Trustee's 341 Filings** hypertext link from the Bankruptcy Events menu. The following instructions will guide you through the ECF system for Trustee/U. S. Trustee documents.

- STEP 1 Select Bankruptcy from the Main Menu, then click on Trustee/U.S. Trustee hypertext link from the Bankruptcy Events menu.
- STEP 2 The Case Number screen appears.



- Enter the case number in YY-NNNNN format.
- Click **Next** to continue, or **Clear** to re-enter.
- STEP 3 The Party Filer screen appears.



- If the name of party appears, click on the name to highlight, click **Next** and then proceed to **Step 6**.
- If the name of party does not appear, click **Add/Create New Party** hypertext link and proceed to **Step 4**.

STEP 4 The Search for a party screen appears.

Search for a party	
55N	Tax Id
Last/Business name	
Search Clear	

There are three ways that the search for a party may be accomplished:

- 1. Enter the Social Security Number of the Individual (in XXX-XXXXX format)
- 2. Enter the Tax Id of the Partnership or Corporation (in XX-XXXXXXX format)
- 3. Key the last name/business name of the party.
- If name is found, highlight it and click **Select name from list**.



• The **Party Information** screen appears, verify information.

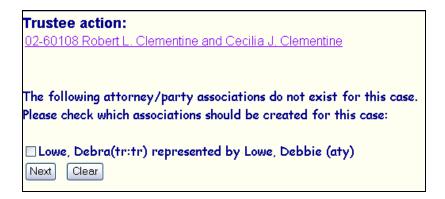


- Click in **Role** drop box, then select appropriate party role of Trustee.
- Click **Submit** to continue, **Cancel** to restart the entry or **Clear** to clear information entered on the screen.

STEP 5 The Select the Filer screen appears with your party highlighted.



- Click Next to continue.
- If the pleading is being filed by an attorney for the trustee, and the association has not been made between the attorney and the trustee party filer, the following screen appears.



- To create the association, follow the directions on the screen and check the box beside the association to be created for this case.
- Click Next to continue.

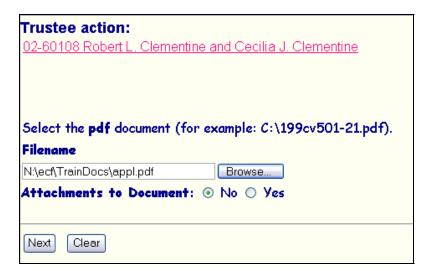
STEP 6 The Select the Event Type screen appears.



- Screen prompts for selection of document being filed.
- Using scroll bar to right of box, highlight type of document being filed.
- If more than one type of document being filed, click on one document while
 holding down the Ctrl key on your keyboard and click on each additional type
 of document.
- Click **Next** to proceed or **Clear** to repeat process.

STEP 7 Select the PDF File Name screen appears.

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- Enter pathname in window, being sure to include the .pdf suffix, or
- Click on **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate directory and file.

From the **Choose File** box:

- Change **Files of type**: to Acrobat [*.pdf] or All Files.
- Change Look in: to the appropriate drive where the document is located.
- Click on the appropriate file name, then click on **Open**.

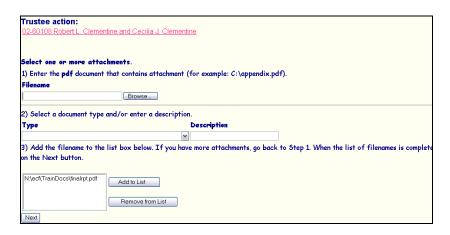


If there are no attachments to document:

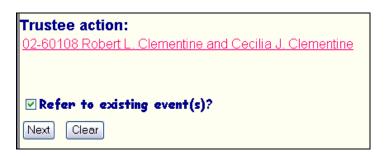
• Click Next and proceed to Step 9.

If there are attachments to document, e.g. an exhibit, appendix, etc.:

- Click the radio button next to Yes, then click Next.
- **STEP 8 Select one or more attachments** screen appears. All exhibits must be attached at this screen:

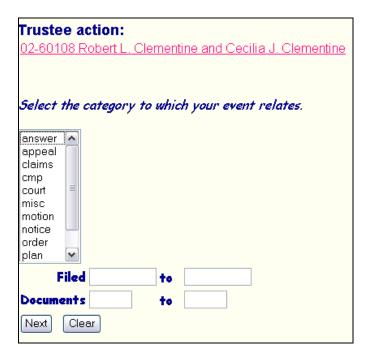


- First select the filename of your attachment by using **Browse**.
- Click on the arrow next to **Type** and click on type of attachment.
- Click in **Description** box and type in any additional description.
- Click Add to List.
- Continue to *Add Attachments* using the above steps as necessary.
- Once all attachments have been added, click Next.
- A Related Document Information screen appears to enable you to relate the entry to a previous entry, if applicable, by clicking the check box.



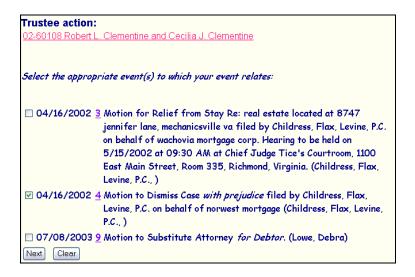
- If the pleading being filed is an amendment of a previous pleading, relate to the previous pleading.
- Click **Next** to continue.

STEP 10 The Category of Documents screen appear.



- Scroll to view types of existing categories.
- Click to select category of document(s) to which yours relates.
- To specify more than one category, hold down the **Ctrl** key on your keyboard as you click additional types.
- To further limit the search, you may select a filed date range or a document number range.
- Click Next.

STEP 11 Selection of Related Docket Events screen appears.



- Select each document to which current document relates, by clicking the box.
- Click **Next** to continue.

STEP 12 Docket Text: Modify as Appropriate screen appears.



Prefix Box

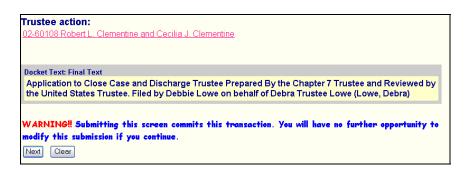
To add a prefix to docket text:

- Click the down arrow (▼) to right of the box.
- Select correct modifier

To add additional text (in events which contain a text box):

- Click in the box.
- Type in any additional description of motion/application.
- Click **Next** to continue

STEP 13 Docket Text: Final Text screen appears.



- Verify docket entry as it appears on screen.
- If correct, click **Next** to submit filing to court.
- If docket entry is incorrect, click **Back** to make corrections, or start over by clicking **Bankruptcy** on the main menu bar.

Receipt of Filing

Once entry is submitted after final approval, the **Notice of Electronic Filing** screen appears. This screen gives confirmation of system receiving the entry and the entry now is an official court document. Scroll down to view entire receipt.



The **Notice of Electronic Filing** appears each time you submit a filing to the court through the ECF System. Each notice will include the following:

- Who filed the document:
- Date and Time:
- Case Name:
- Case Number:
- Document Number:
- Document Description:
- Original filename (pdf):
- Electronic document Stamp:
- Names of parties to whom electronic notification will be made
- Names of parties to whom no electronic notification will be made

Print receipt

- Click on **File** at top of Netscape screen.
- Select Print Frame OR
- Click on the Printer Icon at the top of the page.

[Note: It is highly recommended that copies of receipts be maintained for your records]

Note: You will receive the following [PACER Login] screen if you attempt to access the docket or document through the links provided on the **Notice of Electronic Filing** screen.

